## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

UNITED STATES TRUST CO., N.A., in its capacity as Plan Administrator and Trustee of the Arthur D. Little, Inc. Employees' MDT Retirement Plan,  Plaintiff,  v.	) ) ) ) ) ) )	CIVI No:	L ACTION 05cv10013-WGY
KARL P. FAGANS, and GARY BECK,	) ) )		
Defendant.	) ) ) )		

## CERTIFICATION BY COUNSEL FOR DEFENDANT KARL P. FAGANS PURSUANT TO LOCAL RULE 16.1(D)(3)

I, Andrea Peraner-Sweet, counsel to Defendant Karl P. Fagans in the above-captioned matter, hereby certify, pursuant to Local Rule 16.1(D)(3), that I have conferred with Mr. Fagans: (a) with a view to establishing a budget for the costs of conducting the full course -- and various alternative courses -- of the instant litigation, and (b) to consider the resolution of the instant litigation through the use of alternative dispute resolution programs.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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